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**From:** Atkins, Blake  
**Sent:** Tue 8/11/2015 4:29:00 PM  
**Subject:** RE: EPA HQ EOC Water Desk Activated

So far, the Region 6 Water Division staff involved are:

David Garcia – NMED Liaison

Mark McCasland – San Juan, NM State EOC

Angela Restivo – Dallas, TX REOC

Kim Ngo – Dallas, TX REOC (private well monitoring)

Melinda McCoy – Dallas, TX REOC (surface water and sediment)

Also, from Water Enforcement:

Jennah Manheimer – San Juan, NM State EOC (private well sampling liaison)

Damon McElroy – San Juan, NM State EOC (private well sampling liaison)

The active participants list for Region 6 is growing and Angela Restivo can provide appropriate updates.

**From:** Li, Corine  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 11, 2015 10:41 AM  
**To:** EOC Water; Kahn, Lisa; Macler, Bruce; McCasland, Mark; Atkins, Blake; Hanley, lee; Copeland, Michael  
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Region 9 water has been actively engaged since the spill. Water Program contacts: Mike Montgomery (acting DD), Corine Li, Bessie Lee

Bessie Lee is currently on the ground assisting Navajo Nation EPA in dw coordination and attending various meetings. I have also engaged the ADEQ drinking water program.

**From:** Tingley, Kevin **On Behalf Of** EOC Water  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 11, 2015 7:22 AM  
**To:** Kahn, Lisa; Li, Corine; Macler, Bruce; McCasland, Mark; Atkins, Blake; Hanley, lee; Copeland, Michael  
**Subject:** EPA HQ EOC Water Desk Activated  
**Importance:** High

Hello,

This email is to inform you that the EPA HQ EOC Water Desk has been activated in response to the Gold King Mine (Colorado) release response activities.

Since the Animas River flows through Regions 8, 6 and 9, I may be reaching out to any of you with questions and offers of technical assistance.

For now, please identify the Water Program individual(s) in your Region with whom I should be interacting. Also, please let me know if there's anything I can do for you.

I anticipate that there will be requests for information on the operating status of drinking water and wastewater systems in the impacted area. Please consider reaching out to your states to see if they are already compiling this information, and if they are willing to share.

Also, I understand that Tribal lands are also potentially impacted. If you have ideas for how I should best communicate with these Tribes (if needed), please let me know.

Thanks,

-Kevin Tingley

EPA HQ EOC Water Desk

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